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THE STRATHMORE STANDARD'S CHRISTMAS ESSAY CONTEST

The Standard is again sponsoring the Essay Contest instituted last year. A number of the essays submitted were very excellent, and much interest was aroused. We look for an even larger response this year.

The contest is open to any pupil in Grades 7-12 in any school within the territory served by the Standard.

There will be two groups of contestants, one comprising students of Grades 7, 8 and 9 and the other students of Grades 10, 11 and 12.

This year we are submitting two or more subjects in each group, so that the pupil writing may have an option.

Subjects for the Junior division are—
I— I do like Christmas.
II— The Dickens Christmas.
III— It is More Blessed to Give than to Receive.

IV— The True Christmas Spirit.
Subjects for Senior division are—
I— My hopes for the World at Christmas 1938.

II— The Christmas is too big for us poor mortals (H. G. Wells).
III— Democracy and Christmas.

Prizes of \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00 will be given for the best essay in each group.

The six winning essays with the name of the writer and the school will be published in the Standard's Christmas Number, December 15th. Essays must be written on footsies, in the student's own handwriting, and on one side of the paper only.

Essays in the Junior group to consist of approximately 300 words and in the senior group of approximately 500 words.

Marks will be given as follows—
I—Material.....40
2—Style, Order, Development.....25
3—Originality (creative).....25

4—Neatness.....10
The name of the pupil and the school MUST NOT appear on the essay, but written on a separate slip of paper, and enclosed in the envelope.

A statement signed by the Teacher that the essay is the pupil's own work is required.

Reference books of course may be consulted. Competent persons will act as Judges.

Essays must be in the Standard Office not later than November 28. Let each pupil eligible do his or her best to be the winning essayist.

Yours very truly
THE STANDARD.

Local News Items

Dr and Mrs Care of Philadelphia are guests of Mr and Mrs A. Pierson. Dr Care and Mr Pierson will enjoy some shooting together, during their visit.

Mrs Fred Saunders has come from Vancouver to spend a month with her parents Mr and Mrs Pierson.

Mr and Mrs H. A. Hupke left on Thursday for a six weeks visit to Vancouver, Portland and San Diego.

G. H. Patrick and E. N. Riley were guests at the Banquet given by Mr E. W. Bowness in the Palliser Friday last in compliment to the Engineering Institute of Calgary.

Mr A. Griffin is Chairman of the American Institute of Engineers which group is meeting in Convention in Rochester, N. Y. Mr Griffin will also visit other centres, before his return in about two weeks time.

Mrs Creflin and Mrs Fraser have returned from a very enjoyable trip to Trail, B. C. Mrs Fraser was very enthusiastic about conditions in the Mountain City, with the result that Archie left for the "Smelter City" and has located work there.

Miss Dorothy Graser spent the holiday week end at her home in Boulder, Colo.

Mr A. Policy of Craigville was a week end guest at the Garrett home.

Mr and Mrs T. S. Hughes motored to Lethbridge for the week end where they were guests of Mr and Mrs T. Milson. A Strathmore party was arranged in the Southern City including Mr and Mrs Milson, Mr and Mrs H. McGrew, Mr and Mrs Leslie Hand and Mr and Mrs Higgins.

Miss Alice Garrett came down from Leduc for the week end.

Mr and Mrs A. D. Shrimpton spent the holiday in the Mountains.

Rev. G. W. Lang is spending the week in Glenora in connection with St. Andrew's Church, Thursday evening he will deliver a lecture to the young people of the church.

PLEASE NOTE
The Ladies Aid of the United Church has purchased pews for the church, which are expected to arrive in the next few weeks. Any donations from friends interested who wish to help financially will be greatly appreciated, and may be given to Mrs L. J. Campbell, President or Mrs Nichol, Treasurer.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCEMENT
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For further information write R. M. Putnam, Secretary, Edmonton, Alta.

HIGH RIVER TIMES
The Special edition of 28 pages published last week by the High River Times makes very interesting reading. It covers fully the agricultural and oil development of the district. The press work and set up is a credit to the publishers.

We congratulate The Times on their splendid edition.

BROADCASTING FROM THE AIR
Strathmore is again in the van of modern devices.

Saturday a plane will soar over the town, broadcasting messages between 4.30 and 5 p.m. for a number of our merchants.

Just plan to hear this latest method of giving news.

W. M. S. THANKSGIVING TEA
The Women's Missionary Society are giving a Thanksgiving Tea at the home of Mrs L. Campbell Tuesday afternoon. An interesting program was contributed by the members and a pleasant afternoon spent by all. The sum of \$3.75 was added to the Treasury.

ATHABASCA BY-ELECTION
Whiteley Chosen Liberal Candidate
Social Crediters to Select Candidate
For Athabasca By-Election

Athabasca—H. Whiteley of Chilton, Alberta, was chosen here as Liberal candidate for the Athabasca provincial by-election, November 7.

The by-election was made necessary by the death of C. C. Ross, former Alberta minister of mines and lands.

Mr McKenna, member of the House, was the only other nominee for the candidate at the Liberal convention.

Social Crediters of the constituency have chosen four names to go before the selection committee of the provincial cabinet and the riding's advisory council at a meeting at Chilton, October 17, when the final decision will be made.

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Dr Gershaw Federal Nominee For Medicine Hat Riding

At a well attended meeting held in Medicine Hat Wednesday, Dr P. Gershaw former M. P. was unanimously chosen as Liberal nominee for the Medicine Hat riding in the election to be held next year. Dr Gershaw has earned the esteem of his fellow citizens and his nomination was very popular.

C. D. Howe stated the hope of Canada unity lies in the Liberal Party.

Resolutions, reaffirming confidence in the leadership of Mackenzie King, and that Hon. C. D. Howe and

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DEATH OF MRS. W. SWANSON AT BROOKS

Brooks—Mrs Kitty Swanson, age 47, died at her home at Brooks on Thursday following a sudden heart attack. She was the widow of William Swanson, who was killed in an automobile accident at Strathmore in June, 1917.

Born in Wisconsin, the late Mrs Swanson moved to Brooks with her parents and brother in 1914, and resided on a farm near Durban until 1917, when she married William Swanson of Brooks.

Surviving are four children, Deborah, who is training in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, and Jane, Doris and Billy, at home, and two brothers, A. Walter, Dumas, and M. Welch, Seattle.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning at the Roman Catholic church at Brooks. Rev. Father officiating. Interment took place in Brooks cemetery.

Mrs Swanson was a sister-in-law of Jas Swanson of Strathmore, who has gone to Brooks to be with the children for the week.

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RADIO JOTTINGS CFAC

Big Signal—Friday, October 13th, 12 to 13:15 noon.
Shadowland, daily, 11:45 p.m.

Diamonds that sparkle, Friday, 8:45 a.m. by Dr. W. L. Stidger.

CBC inaugurates new Shakespeare series to be heard each Sunday evening at 7 p.m. Some of the finest examples in English literature, presented by some of the finest actors of the day.

DROWNING FATALITY
A very and accident occurred on Sunday afternoon, October 8th, when Edward Wilson Stephens, the 14 month old child of Mr and Mrs J. I. Stephens was drowned in a trough, containing about 18 inches of water. The little child was playing outside with other children when the accident occurred. Although Dr Giffen was immediately called and everything possible done it was impossible to revive him.

He leaves to mourn his loss beside his father and mother, three brothers and two sisters.

The funeral was held on Tuesday, October 11th at 2 p.m. at Chas. & Co. Funeral Parlours, with Rev. Gilbert officiating. Interment in Strathmore cemetery.

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DEATH OF 'GRANDMA' ANDERSON

One of Strathmore's most helpful citizens passed away Thursday morning October 13th in the person of Mrs Harry Anderson—more affectionately known as "Grandma" Anderson.

Christina Henrietta Elliott was born in Goderich, Ontario, July 18, 1862. About 1875 she was married to Mr Harry Anderson. In 1875 Mr and Mrs Anderson moved to Killarney, Ont.

When they resided until 1910, when with their children they came to live in Strathmore, where they have continued to live up to the time of their death. Mr Anderson passing in 1936.

Five sons, William, Robert, Willie (Kansas City), George and Fred, and two daughters, Mrs Lyons, Ontario, and Mrs Eggleston, Manitoba, survive to mourn the loss of an ever faithful mother, also a large number of grandchildren and some great grandchildren.

Mrs Anderson has been a faithful member and worker in the United Church, and her good deeds were carried out in other activities. Kindness to others, has been the guiding motive of a long and useful life.

The funeral will be held Saturday, October 15th at 2 p.m. from the United Church, Rev. V. M. Gilbert conducting the service.

Pall bearers will be Messrs A. P. Gray, T. Gindling, H. Miner, M. B. Garrett, T. E. H. Patterson and Harry Groves.

C. W. Chase & Co. Funeral Directors in charge.

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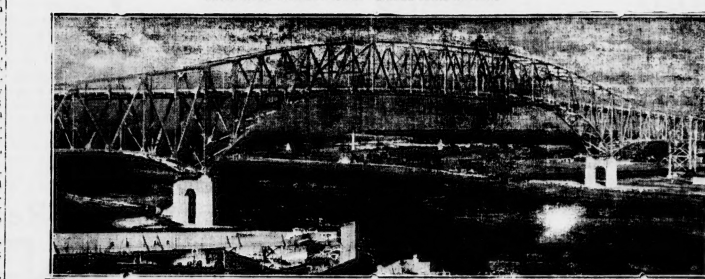
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BLUEWATER INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE JOINS NATIONS



Linking Sarnia with Port Huron, 8th by Premier Hepburn of Ontario, \$25,000,000 by the highway department bridge commission of Michigan. Mich. The Blue Water International, Grand Frank Murphy of Michigan, member of Ontario and Michigan with which created the main span and the Bridge (above) was opened October. The bridge was built at a cost of federal assistance and by the state/ordinated the work of the two moys.

ATTEND THE Banquet And Concert, Memorial Hall Monday, October 17th



WINDBREAKERS

Boys Windbreakers in Good Strong Doe Skin Cloth, Black, Blue, Brown, Belted Back. A Kiddy at \$2.25 and \$2.45

Boys Strong Doe Skin Windbreakers in Brown only, with Lined Body and Sleeves at \$2.95

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Pot Pourri

Though ragged all my garments are
I still may gossip with a star,
And that impartial dame, the moon,
Will have her jewels about me strewn.
And when her kindly work is done
I find no smudging in the sun.
But great benevolence, a thought
For giving more than can be bought.
And birds but sing and squirrel dance
At my unkempt appearance;
While trees at morn and evening nod
Their greetings from the mind of God.
And for the flowers must have a care
That spring about me everywhere—
Great multitudes my haunts frequent
And keep for me their sweetest scent
For being with them at the dawn
Before the feeding dews have flown
And to me but gladness calls
And being careless where it falls,
And to that strenuous democrat,
The wind, I doff my battered hat.
Who ask no permit of His Grace
The Duke to blow upon his face.
"The Happy Vagrant," by How
Merrill.

CROWFOOT

Mr and Mrs Perry, Mr and Mrs Pat-
terson and Miss Gladys Hughes were
dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Fred
Harvey and family on Sunday last.

The home of Mr H. G. Schaefer was
the centre for a family gathering on
Sunday, celebrating a truly delightful
Thanksgiving dinner. The guests in-
cluded, Mr and Mrs Harold Scheer,
and John; Mr and Mrs Norman
Scheer and family; Mr and Mrs John
Thompson of Edmonton; Miss Grace
Scheer, Taber, and Mr Ted Stiles of
Banana.

Congratulations Mr and Mrs Leslie
Tiede on the birth of a lovely baby
boy.

Mr and Mrs David Englund and fam-
ily were city visitors on Saturday.

Miss Laura England spent the
Thanksgiving holiday with her pa-
rents.

The Nilsson family are very busy
building their lovely new home. An-
other proof that dreams do come true.

CHEADLE

We regret to report that Mr. Jeff
Kear who has been confined to the
Holy Cross Hospital for some time, is
not progressing as favorably as was
expected.

Miss Jean McGregor was a holiday
guest of Miss Lida McLean.

Miss Betty Wade of Calgary is
spending the week end with Mrs H.
G. Kirton.

Threshing is practically completed
in the district and in many cases
wheat yields were disappointing. It
is estimated that the three elevators
will have approximately 20,000 bush
and truck buyers have bought ap-
proximately 20,000 bushels.



REGINA
and Return \$11.15
WINNIPEG
and Return \$20.05
FROM STRATHMORE
Correspondingly Low Fares
from Intermediate Stations
Good Going—
OCTOBER 13 — 14 — 15th
Return Until—
OCTOBER 18th



A FARMER'S MUSINGS

(By Tim Longbottom)

Farmyard Gossip—

If an American poultry expert was
not trying to fool the public, stream-
lined turkeys will soon make their
appearance in the markets of the
North American continent.

After having tried all sorts of un-
profitable sidelines, from goats to
elephants, we'd like to get into the
streamlined birds before the fickle
folks lose for the air conditioned va-
lery.

We also hope that we'll have better
luck than our Missus had with a
bunch of hens a few years back.

Grief came to her when she ship-
ped a quantity of white leghorns to a
city dealer who had promised her a
handsome premium for birds of a
certain weight.

To make a long story short, he got
the hens and she got 2 cents a piece
for them. This wasn't such a bad
stroke of business as the one she
lost on a lot of carrots which a farmer
shipped in the fall 1932.

Imagine the wrath of the agricultur-
ist when he received a police invita-
tion to remit 15 cents to help pay the
freight.

It was no wonder that this poor guy
hailed our Albert as a fairy and
father who could pull "just prices"
and dividends out of the blue sky of
the golden west.

Believe it or not, men, he now
times his afternoon nap on Sundays,
to escape the Premier's denouncia-
tions of the big shots.

Cancer—
The recent death of a prince of
Canada was another reminder that
this malignant disorder is no respect-
er of persons. While the true cause of
the disease is not yet known, it is
generally thought that chronic irri-
tation in some form or other is re-
sponsible for the deadly growth.

One upon a time, people without
any knowledge of the subject claimed
that certain social diseases laid the
foundation, and that cancer was heri-
editary.

Competent medical men long ago
refuted these suggestions, and a
number are now studying the effects
of diet.

The scarcity of cases in isolated
parts of the Scottish highlands and
the Italian Sierras led to an invent
gation, and it was found that the
food consumed by the inhabitants was
of the plainest and roughest kind.

The subject is too complicated for
the average man to discuss at length,
but if this little comment has aroused
the interest of any readers, they
should take in some of the meetings
which will be held very soon through-
out the province.

Well qualified men will address the
gatherings, and those who attend are
likely to receive information of vital
importance to their own welfare and
the welfare of their loved ones.

Men And Nations—
Our European crisis came an-
nouncement on two important subjects.
The first was the weakness of the
so-called collective system of security,
the other being the perverse ways of
human beings.

People who had opposed the mod-
est expenditure on national defence
were anxious to fight and they
well knew that the Dominion had
neither men nor guns to fight with.
The editor of a powerful American
Journal urged Britain and France to
make a stand when it was known to
all that his own country had no in-
tention of lending a hand.

More contrary still was the individ-
ual who declared against sanctions
during the Ethiopian war and lately
supported that peculiar institution
known as the League of Nations.

In view of the record of the past
five years, this costly enterprise
should be disbanded at once, and
the array of stately buildings left as
a memorial to the American Presi-
dents whose lofty ideals never can be
fading until greed and selfishness
are rooted out of the hearts of men.
Ethiopia was lulled into a feeling
of false security through being spun
sored into the League by Italy, and
her betrayal followed, as all the earth
can testify. Poor old China was left
in the lurch, and if she comes out
of the present war with territory intact
she will owe this to the valour of her
own children.

This is a bad world to live in, mat-
ters, and we betide the Nations that
cannot defend themselves. The pled-
ges and treaties of today become the
"straps of paper" of the morrow, and
the civilization which men boast of is
only a veneer to cover ruthless bar-
barism. Modern warfare means the
bombardment of densely populated
cities and the mutilation of countless
women and children, also the destruc-
tion of homes, schools and churches.
Yet strange to say, people still
refer to the dark ages as the most
dreiful period in the history of the
human race.

Namaka

Mr Stanley and Morris Watts and
Wm. Steele of Cartwright, Manitoba,
visited at the home of Mr and Mrs
E. C. Watts during the week.

Miss Margaret Thomson of Standard
and Miss Isabella of Calgary spent the
holiday at the home of their parents.

Mr and Mrs Miller and daughter
Shirley of Derwood and Mr and Mrs
Allen of Midnapore spent the week
end at the home of Mr and Mrs Miller.

Mr and Mrs Rae Baker of Calgary
spent the holiday at the home of his
parents, Mr and Mrs J. Bremner were
also week end visitors.

Mr J. W. McIntosh of Calgary who
spent the summer in Eastern Ontario,
returned to his home the latter part
of Sept and was a visitor in the dis-
trict during the week.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of
Mrs Belts on Friday of last week, af-
ter the usual business routine. Discus-
sion followed regarding a chicken
supper and bazaar, which is sched-
uled for Friday November 4th. Owing
to the Hall roof needing repair, the
supper and bazaar will be held in the
building adjoining the Post Office.
Please remember the date.

Carsland

Thieves were again active in Car-
sland last Wednesday night, when
they entered Mr Cole's store taking
clothing to the value of about \$200
As yet no arrests have been made.

Mrs J. Fritz who is present in the
Holy Cross Hospital, where she recent-
ly underwent an operation is now im-
proving.

The P. B. Club met last Wednesday
at the home of Mrs W. Crow, with a
good attendance. Plans were made for
the annual club dance to be held ear-
ly in November.

Mrs C. Petersen and children re-
turned Thursday from Carleton Place,
where Terrie had her tonsils removed.

The Ladies Aid will meet Wednes-
day, October 19th at the home of Mrs
Moore, and will take the form of a
gift tea, the gifts to be used for the
25c booth at the bazaar.

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Shall gather ripened beauty from slender stalks.
He who discovers a milkweed's seed—
Shall acquire riches sufficient for his needs.
He who loves pastures will cut thistle-down,
Then beauty its thorns with water-brown.

CREDIT HOUSES

When we read that the Premier and his Cabinet have deposited substantial sums in one of the established Credit Houses then will the people for the government has more faith in its own plan.

PRESIDENT BENES

Ex-President Benes has been offered the rectory of the Glasgow University, and has offered to stand for the post, a purely honorary one—in the election on October 12. This is a high tribute from a noted University.

A UNITED IRELAND

De Valera is striving to form a United Ireland. It would seem well if his efforts are successful.

THOMAS E. DEWEY

Familiarly known as "Ted", the youthful but eminently successful district attorney of New York City is climbing the ladder to higher office rapidly.

He has been named by the Republican Party as candidate for Governor of the State of New York. If he should win and make a success of the office (and from his previous records, it would seem assured) it is predicted he would be nominated for the Presidential election in 1940. Mr. Dewey is doing such excellent work in his present field that one questions the wisdom in taking him from it.

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA
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COURSE MONDAYS AT 8 P. M.

October—(radio only) War is Still Here
Radio and study bulletins—
November—The Treaty of Versailles and its Consequences.
December—Economic Causes—Are they Basic?
January—What Went Wrong with the League?
February—For and Against Peace.
March—Canada's Place in World Affairs.
April—The Alternative to Power Politics.

Nightingale

Miss Margaret Beattie spent Thanksgiving with her family in Cluny. Mrs. Jacobs left for Cluny on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jim May.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston and C. R. Gladden went to Calgary last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McGrover and Earl of Calgary spent the week end with Mrs. McGrover's mother Mrs. Duggan.

Art Kimmatt had the misfortune to lose all his crop by fire, when the straw stack by the bin exploded. However friends and neighbors showed their sympathy in a very substantial way and it is needless to say that Mr. and Mrs. Kimmatt deeply appreciate the kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thurston of Lylea were visiting with their families here last week.

The members of the Women's In-

Rockyford

The Rockyford United Church Ladies Aid held their regular meeting in the church parlour on Thursday afternoon, October 6th with a very good attendance. The President Mrs. Pumphrey in the chair. The principal business of the day was the arranging for the annual fall supper which is this year to be held on the 26th of October, with a picture show later in the evening. Mrs. H. Duggan is in charge of the kitchen for the day and Mrs. Bradwell and Mrs. W. Pumphrey have the arrangements for the dining room in their hands. Mrs. E. Ross is to act as hostess, and Mrs. McLean will make the tea and coffee. The Ladies have a Banquet later the fall and for this they have decided to hold a shower on the 2nd of November at the home of Mrs. Gibson.

As the conclusion of the day's business several of the Ladies served a very suitable lunch. The next regular meeting will be held at the church on Thursday, October 26th.

A number of the local teachers went to Drumheller last Thursday for the annual teachers' convention. Others were unable to be present on account of the condition of the roads at that time.

Thanksgiving was very quietly spent in and around Rockyford, many having the pleasure of visits from friends from a distance and others went away to visit, but there was no public doings to mark the day.

Mrs. Ed. McLean has just returned from a two weeks visit with friends near Vulcan, High River and Kirkcaldy. She was accompanied by her son and daughter Gordon and Norma.

Mr. McLean, Sr. was able to return home again on Saturday last after another period in the hospital in Calgary.

Mr. George McDonald, Mr. Bouchette and Mr. Walmsley of Vancouver started for home again on Sunday after spending a week with Mr. L. Stone and taking in the shooting here and at Brooks.

The Tutor community hall was the scene of much activity on Friday evening October 8th when the local U. F. A. sponsored the first dance of the season, to the strains of Len Davis and his splendid orchestra. All were greatly delighted at the enjoyable evening and the lunch provided by the ladies.

The threshing has been stopped for a week owing to the heavy rain. There is at least one week's work to be done yet on many farms and they are hoping that the present weather will make the grain ready for the machines before the middle of the week. The break in the weather made it possible to get the vegetables stored away for the winter and the past year has been one very favorable for a very large crop.

Thanksgiving services were conducted at the United Church on Sunday evening. The church was tastefully decorated with vegetables and flowers while the sermon and the music was suitably selected.

An eastern asylum for the insane reports that not one of its many inmates is a golfer. It's next to impossible to tell when a golfer is crazy.—Washington Post.

Estelle spent a pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe. They were held for the big dance next Friday and for a social evening later on. A delicious lunch closed the afternoon with Mrs. Larson and Mrs. Duggan assisting the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stoodley, Calgary visitors last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Andrews are rejoicing over the birth of a son, Oct. 10th, Dr. Giffen in attendance.

Mr. E. D. James spent a day in Calgary last week.

We are pleased to see Mr. W. Seeley home again from the hospital, and sincerely hope for a speedy recovery. We want to see you hitting on two before long Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sarsons, also Mrs. J. Seeley spent Friday evening last visiting with Bill in the Holy Cross Hospital.

Mr. Wm. Mawley of Canmore spent a couple of days with Mr. H. G. Smith last week.

Mr. H. Andrews of Calgary is spending a few days with his two sons, Howard and Gordon.

Mr. C. O. Dawson spent a day last week in Calgary visiting friends.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lefroy Edwards of Gern will be sorry to learn of the serious illness of their infant son. We hope and trust he may recover.

Mrs. Katie Bird of Calgary has been spending a few days with her mother Mrs. M. Lytle.

Mr. Duncan McDonald of Calgary visited at the home of Mrs. H. Sharman over the holidays.

Mr. G. H. Godfrey was a visitor to Calgary one day last week.

Mr. J. B. Whyte of Stavelly is visiting with his mother Mrs. Wm. Whyte.

Miss Edith Dawson spent Saturday last in Calgary.

Scout Notes



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INSECT PEST CONTROL

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Sunday, October 16th, 1938
 CHURCH—2:45 p.m. Worship.
 STRATHMORE—
 10 a.m.—Worship,
 and Junior Congregation.
 Subject—"Wings God in Hand".
 11 a.m.—Church School.
 5:30 p.m.—Worship.
 Subject—"Inherited Obligations".

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Incumbent—
 Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B.A., L.Th.

Oct. 16—18th Sunday after Trinity
 Children's Day—
 No morning service in Strathmore.
 2 p.m.—Sunday School.
 7:30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
 Subject—"The Way of a Child".

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 cepting first Sunday of the month,
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NEWS AND COMEDY

THE WORLD OF WHEAT
 By H. G. Strange
 Director "Crop Testing Plan"

Sometimes ago our Research Depart-
 ment compiled and published a chart
 showing 528 years of wheat prices.

The chart revealed a number of
 severe rises and falls in price through-
 out the years. We found that those
 great catastrophes always coincided
 exactly with great wars. We there-
 fore set about studying all the wars
 that had occurred for the same period,
 i.e. the 528 years; and we found
 some amazing things.

That the world during 528 years
 has only been at complete peace for
 21 years. That France has been at
 war during the period, 300 years; Rus-
 sia 261 years; Austria 228 years;
 Great Britain 222 years; Spain 213
 years; Turkey 192 years; Germany
 187 years; Italy 117 years; Holland
 108 years; Portugal 40 years; and the
 United States 27 years. The most
 peaceful country having been China.

Most of the wars were fought, we
 found to obtain possession of lands
 that produce wheat, foodstuffs, or
 other raw materials. Then, later, other
 countries would arise and attempt to
 take those lands for themselves from
 those who had previously conquered
 them; and so it seems to have gone
 on and on throughout the ages.

One inevitable result of war has
 ever been, first very high, and then
 very low wheat prices.

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THE SPORTS
LEDGER

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 hopes for a good berth in the con-
 tending show-down. Taking Winnipeg
 14-0, there was no comparison in the
 teams. The Peg squad were at no
 time within even a score by kick
 with a magnificent line and dandy
 cooperation, there was no stopping
 the Bronks.

Pucking Regina was harder, but
 took no real effort, and the 6-3 score
 is a poor indicator of play. It looks
 like a cup for the west this year.

Carl Mack's All Stars, a combina-
 tion of players from all major
 leagues, but the Yanks played an ex-
 citation to a large crowd in Calgary
 Wednesday.

Calgary organized a track and
 field association last week with E. D.
 Battrum president. Others on the ex-
 ecutive are Donny Ware, Thelma
 Norris, Frank Adams, Charlie Dyson
 and Pat Turner.

Yankers Again Kings—
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 the "little world series" they look
 like keeping it. In the 1 game sweeps
 the gate came to nearly one million
 dollars.

Sympathies of large numbers were
 with the Cubs, but to no avail and on
 Monday all kinds of queer bets were
 being paid.

DOLLARS AND SENSE

So quickly seasons wax and wane
 We ought to learn to count our gain
 in something else than money.
 Too short the course, too swift the
 pace.
 As day by day we madly chase
 Illusive milk and honey!

on and on throughout the ages.
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 ever been, first very high, and then
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